

dispensing with notice and public procedure thereon as unnecessary. For the same reason, good cause exists for dispensing with the requirement for a delayed effective date, under 5 U.S.C. 553 (a)(2) and (d)(3). Also, for the same reason, it is certified that the amendments will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. Accordingly, the amendments are not subject to the regulatory analysis or other requirements of 5 U.S.C. 603 or 604.

This document does not meet the criteria for a "significant regulatory action" as specified in Executive Order 12866.

#### Drafting Information

The principal author of this document was Janet L. Johnson, Regulations Branch. However, personnel from other offices participated in its development.

#### List of Subjects in 19 CFR Part 10

Caribbean Basin initiative, Customs duties and inspection, Exports, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

#### Amendment to the Regulations

For the reasons set forth in the preamble, Part 10 of the Customs Regulations (19 CFR Part 10) is amended as set forth below.

### **PART 10—ARTICLES CONDITIONALLY FREE, SUBJECT TO A REDUCED RATE, ETC.**

1. The general authority citation for Part 10 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 19 U.S.C. 66, 1202 (General Note 20, Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States), 1321, 1481, 1498, 1508, 1623, 3314;

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#### **§ 10.62 [Amended]**

2. Section 10.62(c)(2) is amended by removing the reference "Customs Form 7506" and by adding "Customs Form 7501" in its place.

George J. Weise,  
*Commissioner of Customs.*

Approved: May 30, 1996.

John P. Simpson,  
*Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.*  
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### **RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD**

#### **20 CFR Part 209**

**RIN 3220-AB16**

#### **Railroad Employers' Reports and Responsibilities**

**AGENCY:** Railroad Retirement Board.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Railroad Retirement Board (Board) hereby amends its regulations to add sections to permit employers to dispose of payroll records after five years, and for the utilization of payroll records to credit service under the Railroad Retirement Act in the case of employers that have ceased operations. These amendments will alleviate needless record retention and ease reporting requirements for employers that have permanently ceased operations.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 20, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Secretary to the Board, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Thomas W. Sadler, Assistant General Counsel, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611, (312) 751-4513, TDD (312) 751-4701.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Employer reports are used to establish employee compensation and service records. These reports are based on payroll records. The Board's rules and procedures regarding the authorization of disposal of these records and the utilization of payroll records of employers who have abandoned service in lieu of employer reports are presently contained in Board Orders, which are not readily available to the public. Accordingly, the Board adopts regulations specifying that railroad employers may dispose of payroll records more than five years old where there is no dispute pending as to the compensation reported for the periods covered by those records. The Board also to amends its regulations to provide that the Board will accept payroll records in lieu of prescribed reports if there is no official of the employer available to prepare and certify to the accuracy of such reports and if the tax liability involved has been discharged.

On February 15, 1996, the Board published this rule as a proposed rule (61 FR 5970) inviting comments on or before April 15, 1996. No comments were received. No changes have been made to the proposed rule. The Board, with the concurrence of the Office of Management and Budget, has determined that this is not a significant

regulatory action under Executive Order 12866; therefore, no regulatory impact analysis is required. There are no information collections associated with this rule.

#### List of Subjects in 20 CFR Part 209

Railroad employees, Railroad retirement, Railroads.

For the reasons set out in the preamble, title 20, chapter II, part 209 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

### **PART 209—RAILROAD EMPLOYERS' REPORTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. The authority citation for part 209 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 45 U.S.C. 231f.

2. Part 209 is amended by adding §§ 209.16 and 209.17 to read as follows:

#### **§ 209.16 Disposal of payroll records.**

Employers may dispose of payroll records for periods subsequent to 1936, *provided that* the payroll records are more than five years old and that there is no dispute pending pertaining to the compensation reported for the period of those records.

#### **§ 209.17 Use of payroll records as returns of compensation.**

Payroll records of employers which have permanently ceased operations may be accepted in lieu of prescribed reports *provided that* there is no official of the employer available to prepare and certify to the accuracy of such reports and, *provided further that* any employer and employee tax liability incurred under the Railroad Retirement Tax Act has been discharged.

Dated: June 11, 1996.

By Authority of the Board.

For the Board.

Beatrice Ezerski,

*Secretary to the Board.*

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### **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

#### **Food and Drug Administration**

#### **21 CFR Part 178**

**[Docket No. 92F-0339]**

#### **Indirect Food Additives: Adjuvants, Production Aids, and Sanitizers**

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Final rule.